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This is regarding the "Notification of Loss of Small Entity Status under 37 CFR 1.27(g)(1)(and (2) for this Patent and Payment of Deficiency of Issue Fee" filed June 14, 2006, which will be treated as a petition under 37 CFR 1.28(c).

The petition is **GRANTED**.

By the instant petition, petitioner informs the USPTO that the inventive entity is not eligible for small status. The loss of small entity status is acknowledged and noted in the application file.

The application file will be directed to the Files Repository.

Telephone inquiries regarding this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3222.

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